

SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE TO DEPEND ON RESULT OF TEST

Conference of Operators and Mine Worker's Officials Last Night.

QUESTION AS TO EXPLOSIVE

Whether Black Powder or Carbonite is Yet to be Decided.

Within the next few days a thorough test will be made in the mines of the Charleroi Coal Works of black powder and carbonite, to determine which is the best and safest to use, and the result will end in the settlement of the strike now on. This was determined at a meeting of Jesse K. Johnston, the superintendent of the mines, and the National Vice President of the United Mine Workers, Mr. McCullough, with other National officials and local mining men who were in Charleroi last night. It was expected that the miners who have been on strike for about three weeks will go to work not later than next morning, as the controversy as has been over the use of other explosives. It was made between the miner's officials, it was decided to use the carbonite as the black powder as that the miners be re- their extra time and ex- should settle all matters amicably. The miners would prefer to work on account of the expense, it is stated that they are to abide by the test which is made by their own men in the presence of some of the operators. The National officials are to remain until after the test is made, it is said, and will likely assist in the same. The present strike at the Charleroi Works has not assumed any serious proportions, and from the present prospects will not. The trouble is the same that is annoying miners in many sections, and doubtless the settlement of the contentions will have an important bearing on the use of the black powder in other mines. The controversy started by the mine inspector forbidding the use of black powder. The miners, however, contend that the use of other explosives is more expensive and decreases their earnings by shattering the coal more, thereby causing more slack for which they get no pay. If other explosives are used they insist on extra compensation, as the present scale is based on the use of black powder.

CATSBURG MINE CLOSES DOWN

Extensive Improvements will be Made, Work Beginning Today.

Workmen began this morning at the Catsburg mines, near Monongahela, to tear down the old trestle in preparation for a new one. It is planned to make general improvements about the mines. On account of this there has been a temporary suspension of all work at the mine ordered, and a number of men thrown out of employment. It is not thought that it will take any longer than until the first of August to get the improvements finished up.

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Information Made Against Alleged Thief

Chickens Said to Have Been Found in His Place Belonging to Foreigner.

Information was made by Joe Boukovich, a Hungarian, this morning before Justice of the Peace Wilson, against Robert Bevan, colored, on a charge of larceny of some chickens. According to the prosecutor's tale Bevan last night took three fowls from the former's coop, and kept them in his house until this morning, when upon a complaint of the owner, Chief of Police Albright located them.

GOOD BYE OF PROF. WRIGHT

Extends Thanks for Assistance That Was Given Him In Work.

A WORD FOR SUCCESS

To the Public: This is my last day in Charleroi, and before leaving I wish to say to its citizens that the few years I have been with you have brought to me a rich and valuable experience, a broader and better conception of life. This is an educational feature that could not be purchased with a price in any of our institutions of learning. I am a "bigger" man for having lived in Charleroi during the last four years. For this I wish to express my thanks to the men who have served on the board of directors for the part they have had in making such an experience possible; to the teachers for their hearty co-operation in the work of the schools and to them I wish better days; to the press of the city for their active influence in the support of my every effort to uplift the school sentiment. And I must not forget the boys and girls who have done so much to widen my views of life. To them I wish to express my thanks for the willingness with which they have always obeyed my requests and the earnestness with which they entered into the work that I had outlined for them. May their interest in education increase as the years pass away, and when life's work is ended may they feel that it has been well done. And now to all I say a last good bye, with the kindest feeling and best wishes for the future success of your schools.

W. D. WRIGHT.

DOUBLE HEADER TOMORROW

No Game Today on Account of Wet Grounds but Uniontown Will Play Here Twice Friday.

Owing to wet grounds today there will be no game between Uniontown and Charleroi. Tomorrow, however, there will be a double header on the local grounds, the first game to begin at 2 o'clock. The pitchers are as yet unannounced.

COMMISSIONER HILL AND ENGINEER GEO. S. CHANEY VIEW BRIDGE SITE

Bids to be Advertised For in Short time for Erection of Structure Over Maple Creek.

County Commissioner Thomas Hill, with Engineer George S. Chaney were in Charleroi today and inspected the site of the proposed bridge to be built over Maple Creek connecting Lincoln avenue and the borough of Twilight. Bids will be advertised for in a short time. President Pierson, and C. Schmieler of council, with Solicitor McCloskey of the borough and representatives of the boroughs of Speers and Twi-

light, were with the party. The Charleroi council will build an approach in length about 50 feet to the bridge, which will be at the highest point about 10 feet from the ground. It will slope down from Lincoln avenue to a point in Twilight borough. Messrs. Hill and Chaney left for Monongahela this afternoon where there is some work to be done by the county.

COKERS WIN GAME FROM THE CHERUBS

Ninth Inning Rally Responsible for Connellsville's Victory.

GRIFFITHS VERSUS YOEDT

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.

Uniontown.....	1	Clarksburg.....	0
Fairmont.....	3	Grafton.....	0
Connellsville.....	3	Charleroi.....	2

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Fairmont.....	19	7	.731
Uniontown.....	12	11	.522
Connellsville.....	12	14	.462
Clarksburg.....	12	15	.444
Grafton.....	11	15	.423
Charleroi.....	10	14	.417

Today's Schedule.

Uniontown at Charleroi.
Clarksburg at Connellsville.
Fairmont at Grafton.

After the Cherubs had evened up the score yesterday with the Cokers in the eighth inning, the Mud Islanders turned around and in the ninth battled in a score and victory. This was after an intermission of 25 minutes on account of rain.

Connellsville secured a run in the first on Morgan's double. Gilligan's sacrifice, and Ike Francis singled. Three successive singles and a hit by the pitcher forced another run over in the fifth.

The Cherubs began to find Dutch Yoedt in the eighth when drizzling rain began to fall. He hit Urban, and then followed singles by Nally, Knically and Conway, Urban and Nally scoring. The score:

*One out when winning run was scored.

CHARLEROI					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Nally, r.....	1	2	1	0	0
Elliott, l.....	0	2	0	0	0
Knically, m.....	0	2	3	0	0
Conway, c.....	0	1	2	0	0
Harrell, 2.....	0	2	2	5	0
Smith, l.....	0	0	12	0	1
Kennedy, s.....	0	1	1	3	0
Urban, 3.....	1	0	2	4	1
Griffith, p.....	0	1	0	6	0
Totals.....	2	9	25	20	2

CONNELLVILLE					
Players.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Morgan, l.....	1	4	4	0	0
Gilligan, 2.....	0	0	4	3	0
I. Francis, s.....	0	2	0	2	0
Hagan, 3.....	0	1	1	2	0
Calhoun, r.....	0	0	1	1	1
C. Francis, m.....	0	0	1	1	0
Tiffany, l.....	0	0	11	1	0
Fraley, c.....	2	2	5	4	0
Yoedt, p.....	0	2	0	1	0
Totals.....	3	11	27	15	1

Connellsville.....1 0 0 1 0 0 1-2
Charleroi.....0 0 0 0 0 2 0-2
Two base hit—Morgan. Sacrifice hits—Gilligan, Hagan, Smith. Double plays—Kennedy, Harrell to Smith; Griffith, Conway to Smith. Struck out—By Yoedt 4, by Griffith 1. Base on balls—Off Yoedt 1, off Griffith 1. Umpire—Weddle.

Fancy new potatoes 39c cents per peck, 2 dozen lemons for 25 cents, Matchless Best Flour per sack \$1.58 at the Co-operative Store.

SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN PAST YEAR

In Annual Report Superintendent Wright Speaks of Improvements.

CERTIFICATES GRANTED

The total enrollment of the Charleroi schools for the year 1908-1909 was 1,915. This is embodied in the report of the school year which will be made to the State superintendent, Dr. Nathan C. Schaffer, by superintendent W. D. Wright. The report will be read at the meeting of the Charleroi school board tonight, and will show a substantial gain.

In reality the past term has been the most successful year in the history of the Charleroi schools. In the number enrolled there were 914 males and 1,001 females. During the year 240 pupils dropped out of school and there were 367 new admissions, or during the term a gain of 127. The average daily attendance was 1,547, the visits of the directors 68 and of patrons and friends 3,757.

The enrollment of the schools last year was 1,788, showing a substantial gain. In his report Prof. Wright states that this has been a most successful year for various reasons, one of the most important being the unity in the work of the teachers with the principals and superintendent. He suggests that in the future greater care be taken in the selection of teachers and states that there is plenty of room for improvement.

Although not embodied in his report to the State Superintendent, Prof. Wright will make a report to the school board that he has granted six provisional certificates, two professional certificates and has rejected two applicants. Two of the teachers were without experience, six held provisional certificates, four professional certificates, eight permanent certificates, 24 Normal diplomas and three college diplomas. The promotions have been about the same as usual. There will be a class of 30 go into High School, making a total of 75 there for the coming year. The small class going into High school was by reason of the year's examination at the end of the term, instead of the merit system employed in the other grades.

The report to Superintendent Schaffer was the first of a Charleroi superintendent.

Funeral of Mrs. Lundy.

The funeral of Mrs. Patrick Lundy of Vesta, was held this morning at St. Jerome's Catholic church at 9:30 o'clock, Rev. W. D. Fries officiating. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery, Monongahela.

The regular monthly meeting of the Merchant's Association will be held tonight at the Merchants' Association rooms in the Kirk and Clark building. After the transaction of the routine business which will be hurried through, the members will make a visit to the Macbeth-Evans and the Imperial Glass plants. Upon the return to the rooms a social session will be held. A large attendance is desired.

CAREFUL SURVEY INDICATES MOFFITT WILL BE A WINNER

Voluntary Non-Suit In Vesta Damage Case

Attorney for Prosecutor Says His Client Does Not Watch Affairs.

A voluntary non-suit was taken yesterday at Washington in the suit of Hjalman Jessilainen against the Vesta Coal company. The reason given by the man's attorney was that his client did not pay any attention to the suit. Jussilainen sought to recover \$15,000 damages from the defendant company for injuries received in a gas explosion in Vesta No. 4 at Coal Centre on February 21, 1908.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE

Beautiful June Wedding at Speers of Well Known Couple.

ALTAR GUILD'S AFFAIR

Irwin-Beazell.

At 12 o'clock yesterday at the home of the bride's parents in Speers, occurred the wedding of Miss Sue Beazell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beazell, and Marion Irwin of Elizabeth, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. F. Switer of Speers. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom were present. The bride was Miss Harriet Irwin.

Soon after the marriage the couple left on a wedding trip to the East. They will return to Elizabeth where they will be at home to their friends after August 1. Both are well known and popular. Mrs. Irwin has a wide acquaintance, not only in Speers, but also in Charleroi, and other valley towns. Mr. Irwin is a young man of sterling qualities and a favorite among his many friends.

Well Entertained.

The social given last evening by the young ladies' Altar Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church proved a perfect success. A goodly number of people were in attendance. Delicious refreshments were served and the games arranged were enjoyed by old and young alike. Everybody had a good time.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE

Tonight Rev. Elis B. Burgess of Connellsville, Pa., statistical secretary of the General Synod of the United States will speak to the young people of the Lutheran church. Subject, "Enthusiasm." Rev. Burgess is a very interesting and entertaining speaker. The Christian Endeavor Societies and the Epworth League are all asked to come and participate in this service.

After the service the Luther League will hold a social in the Sunday school rooms for the benefit of the league. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited to attend.

Candidates For Recorder of Deeds Now Calmly Awaiting Results.

RIVER DISTRICT CLEAR

Three Opponents of Local Man Bunched Gives Him Advantage.

With the campaign virtually closed the Republican candidates for recorder are more or less calmly awaiting the verdict of the voters at the polls Saturday. Notwithstanding some vigorous work on the part of the candidates a light vote compared with that of the last primary is expected. Various estimates are made as to the probable vote, and it seems to be the consensus of opinion on the part of the politicians that the candidate who polls 3,000 votes will likely land the plum for the nomination of recorder. While the vote in the towns may be somewhere the normal figure, that of the rural districts is expected to fall off greatly.

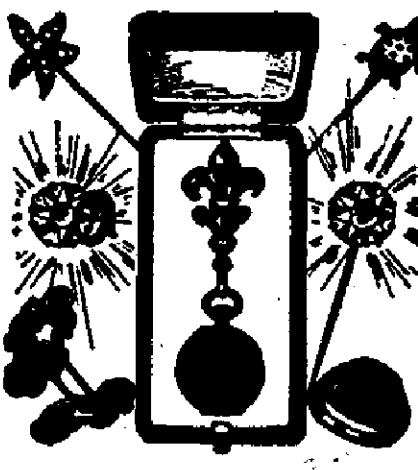
While each of the four candidates in the field expresses confidence in his chances for winning the nomination, a careful survey indicates that John H. Moffitt, the Charleroi candidate, is decidedly in the lead if pre-election indications go for anything. With his three opponents bunched in Washington, who will divide the vote in the largest center of population, Moffitt has a clear field in the river district, where he is best known and has the largest following of friends. This, with his wide acquaintance over the county, his political experience, and his capacity as a campaigner, and in a fair fight would be recognized everywhere.

All efforts to break into Moffitt's line-up in the river district have met with signal failure. The combination which a bunch of county seat politicians is said to have formulated for the purpose of defeating Moffitt did not materialize, and it is said that the effort has been abandoned as hopeless. During the past week a number of county seat politicians have visited the river district for the purpose of trying to "break in" for their respective candidates. One of these is a prominent attorney, who has always been an active factor in politics. "Nothing to it," he sententiously remarked. "Everything is for Moffitt, particularly the river district, where he has a solid front."

Politics, however, is a very uncertain quantity, and no one can really be sure of the nomination until the ballots are counted. Moffitt, however, is conceded to be a winner by even those who set about at the start to encompass his defeat.

"The Candy Shop" a Dream.

The very latest show success in New York is at the Knickerbocker Theatre. It is called "The Candy Shop," and the music is by the famous composer, John L. Golden. The "Candy Shop" music is the cleverest heard in New York this season. The New York Sunday World has arranged with Jerome H. Remick and Co., music publishers for the song hit of the piece. It is entitled "Meet Me Down on the Corner," and everybody in New York is whistling it. Words and music complete with next Sunday's World.



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LOCAL AGENCIES

George S. Mighl.....Charleroi
Clay Collins.....Speers
M. Dooley.....Danlevy
J. A. Mason.....Lock No. 1

June 3 in American History.

1780—Thomas Hutchinson, noted as a
royalist governor of Massachusetts,
died in London; born in Bos-
ton 1711.
1808—Jefferson Davis, statesman, pres-
ident of the Southern Confederacy,
born in Christian (now Todd) coun-
ty, Ky.; died 1889.
1801—Stephen Arnold Douglas, states-
man, political rival of Abraham
Lincoln before the civil war, died;
born 1813.
1907—General Thomas Ruger, U. S. A.,
retired, distinguished leader in the
civil war, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:22; rises 4:20; moon rises
7:19 p. m.; 8:16 p. m., full moon in
constellation Scorpio; total eclipse of
the moon, visible to South America
and Africa and in part of North Amer-
ica, Europe and Asia; in New York
moon rises eclipsed; totality begins
7:58 p. m. and ends 8:59 p. m.; moon
leaves penumbra 11:21 p. m.; Chicago,
1 hour earlier; Denver, 2 hours; San
Francisco, 3 hours; 9:30 p. m., Jupiter's
outer satellite No. 2 close on planet's
west; the rest near on east; 11:06 a. m.,
moon at greatest libration east; sun's
declination 22 degrees 17½ minutes.

"The Rule of the People."

Quoting from an editorial in the
Mail last week, which stated that the
fight for the Republican nomination
for recorder had developed into a pre-
liminary skirmish for political control
next year, the Washington Observer
takes occasion to malign both the Mail
and the people of the river district
for the manner in which the latter voted
at the primary election last year. The
Mail is characterized as a loyal liquor
organ, and the voters here as "phao-
toms" who were corrupted by the
unparalleled use of liquor and money.

There is no occasion for the Mail to
refute these charges. The thousands
of Christian voters in the river dis-
trict and elsewhere in the county who
supported John K. Tener for Congress
at the primary election last spring
know whether or not their action was
influenced by the use of "boodle and
booze," as the Observer has repeated-
ly charged, in addition to maligning
the churches of Charleroi a year ago
in a write-up on the liquor traffic of
the Monongahela valley. These
charges, as every one knows, are as
unjust as they are untrue.

The further inconsistency and in-
cincerity of the Observer's attitude is
shown in its alleged stand for local
option. While the candidates it sup-
ported for Assembly were defeated for
the nomination, two of the three
nominated and elected voted for the
only local option bill that came up in
the Legislature, but still the Observer
isn't satisfied. Instead of claiming
a victory and rejoicing over the re-
sults, it continues to mourn past re-
sults and to put the Assemblymen it
doesn't control in the "booze" class.
The Observer's own candidates couldn't
have done any more than have voted
for the Fair bill.

Granting, for the sake of argument,
that the Observer's charge that the
Mail is a "loyal liquor organ" is
true, it is only following the example

of its older contemporary, the Ob-
server, which, until a year ago un-
equivocally stood for the political
interests that always had the support
of and was saved from two defeats by
the liquor interests. However, it is
not the Mail's intention to enter in-
to a tirade of recriminations. If
those engaged in the manufacture
and sale of liquor see fit to vote for
a good man for office, so much the
better. The people instead of the
politicians now rule.

"Know Thyself."

The Scriptural injunction, "Know
thyself," is being put into action by
the Charleroi Merchants' Association.
At their regular monthly meeting to-
night the officers have arranged for
the members to visit the Macbeth-
Evans Chimney factory and the Im-
perial Bottle factory. After that the
Association will have a social session.

This is one of the most important
actions the local Association has taken,
if it is continued in all directions.
A complete and exhaustive knowledge
of the industrial and business concerns
of the town is the first requisite of a
body of men who are seeking to pro-
mote the interests of the community.

How many people are there in town
who can give off-hand any definite in-
formation concerning Charleroi's in-
dustries, what they manufacture, the
number of employees, the average pay-
roll, the trade relation of the indus-
trie with the rest of the world and
their rank and standing? Not only
is this true of the larger concerns, but
it is equally important with the
smaller business places. For in-
stance, how many business places are
there in town? How many people do
they employ, and what is their
aggregate pay roll? Are there many
small manufacturing concerns in the
town? If so how many, what are
they, and are they capable of expan-
sion, and do they need any assistance
to enable them to enlarge their
plants? There may be many oppor-
tunities for expanding interest in the
town which would add greatly to the
volume of labor employed and the
augmentation of the wages fund.

There is also much coal mined
tributary to Charleroi. How much,
and how many men are employed who
trade here? These are questions new
business enterprises usually want to
know, and it is worth money to any
community to be able to answer them.

Electric Sparks

President Taft forgot to accept the
invitation to take the trip to Mon-
essen. He was not invited to Char-
leroi, or he would have come up the
valley.

June has started off well with the
June weddings—the only thing besides
the length of the days for which it is
noted.

A contemporary in a nearby town has
oft made the statement that the mer-
chants of his town are the best sports,
the best advertisers, and almost every-
thing else in the world. He certainly
has forgotten to take Charleroi into
account.

If Mr. Taft enjoys a baseball game
better than speech-making, he is like
many other college men who are
younger than he is.

Now that they've proved that a
real estate agent gets his commission
if he sells a place, and the owner
sells it later, a fellow can't even
cheat the said agent out of his money.

My, but Donora's getting popular!
Here's another street car company
that wants to lay a line to that place.
Needless to say the company will not
have much trouble in getting a fran-
chise if it applies for one.

A plumber will start out on a job
and assess the people for all the time
he spends at the shop getting things
ready, then for the time it takes to
get to the place of work and for the
time it takes to get back to his shop
and lay things away again, then as
it seems to the poor suffering public,
adds half an hour to be sure he does
not lose anything—and the people pay
the bill without a protest. Whereas
if a day-laborer would do the same he
would be driven out of town. Funny,
isn't it?

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the
famous little liver pills, small, gentle
and sure. Sold by Piper Bros. edit.

WOMAN'S MEETING LAST EVENING

Address by Mrs. Beegle on
"Woman's Place In The
Church."

Last night at the Christ Lutheran
Church, Mrs. Helen C. Beegle of
Springfield, Ohio, secretary of The
Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary
Society of the Lutheran church of
America, was the speaker. The sub-
ject was, "Woman's Place in the
Church." It was well received, and
the meeting was well attended. Mrs.
Beegle is a National secretary of the
woman's work in this country, and it
was a delight to hear her speak on the
foreign missionary work which the
society is doing in India especially.

The Brigands.

The word "brigand" is derived from
a portion of the armor worn by arch-
ers. English and foreign, anciently
called the "brigandine." This consist-
ed of an apron of leather plated over-
scale fashion, with thin pieces of steel.
From the irregularities of the light
armed men who wore these defenses
the name of brigand became in course
of time infamous.

Get Out of Doors.
Bureau's classic experiment points
us in the right direction. After in-
cubating a number of rabbits with tu-
berculosis he confined a number of
them indoors and turned the others
outdoors. The latter all recovered,
while the former all died. This exper-
iment shows that a rabbit living upon
its natural food and under a natural
environment is proof against tubercu-
losis. There is abundant reason to be-
lieve this equally true of man. In
other words, tuberculosis is not a nec-
essary evil of human life, but is a nat-
ural consequence of erroneous habits
and departure from natural conditions.
Man is naturally an outdoor animal.
A mole lives a healthy life in a bur-
row. A man must live in the fresh air
and the sunshine.—Medical Record.

Pioneer Days in Missouri.

In 1851 there was in Huntsville a
man who pulled teeth for 25 cents and
a photographer who made daguerro-
types at \$1.50 each. The first was
called "doctor" and the second "pro-
fessor," as being the representatives of
the sciences and arts. With deer, birds
and all manner of game in the woods
and fine fish in the streams so cheap
that the poorest farmers were stocked
with it, the grocers did a big business
in mackerel, herring and sardines. The
latter were real dainties, because the
better food was so plentiful the pio-
neers got tired of it.—Macon Repub-
lican.

AN ANNOUNCING

my
candidacy for the nomi-
nation of County Recorder,
I do so by stating that I
have never been favored,
either with an elective or an
appointed position in this
county, and I have neve
given support, nor encour-
agement in any campaign to
any other than candidates of
the Republican party, from
whose hosts I am now seek-
ing the honorable position
above named. I have long
been a resident of the Mon-
gahela Valley, and for more
than one hundred and
twenty years my ancestors
have been taxpayers and
residents of that section of
the county.

While no new issues or
questions are likely to be
advanced in the coming
campaign other than fitness and capability of the applicants, I wish to say
that I stand as I have always done, for the broad principles of Republicanism
and will always be ready to champion every policy of reform involving a
higher standard of politics.

On one or two occasions I have permitted my name to be withdrawn
from political contests for the sake of the party harmony, but after being
active in aiding others for almost a score of years in reaching the goal of
their ambitions, I am now presenting myself for the first time as a can-
didate for the office of County Recorder, for which primaries will be held
June 5th, 1909.

FOR RECORDER



JOHN H. MOFFITT
CHARLEROI, PA.

To the Republican Voters of Washington County

I am asking for Republican votes next Saturday for the nomination for
corder of Deeds.

Our leaders have promised a "free open primaries" and an honest vote.

All I Ask Is A Fair Chance And A Square Deal.

I have carried my claims direct to the voters. They will decide and I ask my
friends and every fair minded voter to give all the candidates the same chance.

There is no political issue at stake in this fight—there
ought not to be.

Every Republican who aspires to this office has a right
to ask for the votes of his fellow citizens.

As one of the young Republicans of this county, I entered
the contest on this principle and this implied guarantee.

I want to say now that I am in the fight honorably to
win, honorably.

I seek to secure the office of Recorder of Deeds not for
political advantage, but to make an honest living.



J. C. Sutherland

If nominated and elected I will conduct the office in the interest of the people.
I will give the people a business administration. To the people I appeal.

I believe in the principle of a "square deal," of honest, decent politics. I have
conducted a clean and honorable campaign, I have fought my own fight and used all
reputable and honorable means to advance my own cause. I have not attacked or
slandered any of my opponents for my own advantage. I have waged a fair
fight. I have endeavored to come into close personal contact with as many voters
as possible—some I have not been able to meet—but through this means I again
earnestly solicit the votes of all the Republicans of Washington county.

I WANT YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE.

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No Other Candidate for Recorder So Well Equipped as Alex. D. Young



ALEX. D. YOUNG

Alex. D. Young, candidate for the Republican nomination for Recorder of Washington county, is too well known to need formal introduction. His long service in the Recorder's office as deputy has brought him into close touch with the public and the uniformly courteous treatment accorded patrons of the office during his term of service has made him many substantial friends who are eager to rally to his support in the contest to be settled at the June primaries.

In point of qualifications no other candidate is so well equipped. No other man in Washington county so well understands how to conduct the business of the office and there is no more deserving candidate. While at no time in his career has Mr. Young been identified with factional politics, he has at all times since attaining his majority been a strict adherent to the principles of the party of his choice.

On his record as deputy recorder, established by many years of faithful service and on his record for party regularity Mr. Young solicits the support of Washington county Republicans.

George Lee spent a few days last week visiting his parents at Colliers, W. Va.

Curt Deems and **William Winnet**, near Garwood, were recent callers at M. J. Dowlands.

Charles Hill of Charleroi spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of Jacob Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fox of Pittsburgh spent Decoration Day at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox.

Wm. Hill and family of Monongahela, Perry Morris of the California Normal and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morris spent Sunday at the home of Isaac E. Morris.

Thomas West and sister, Lulu of Garwood were recent guests of their aunt, Mrs. Joe Pitzer.

Miss Elsie Richards of the Ridge spent the 30th at Uniontown.

Lester Winnett of Vanceville was a recent guest at the home of his uncle, Wm. Winnett near Garwood.

Mrs. David Duvall and children of Charleroi are spending a few days this week at the home of her father, Henry Carson.

Mrs. Shirley Mancha of Jonestown spent a couple of days last week visiting friends at Monongahela.

Edna Hawkins and **Blanche Winnett**, near Garwood, who have been attending school at Centerville, have returned to their homes.

Samuel Hopewell and family spent Sunday and Monday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Laurie Gossitt of Fredericktown.

Miss Stella Carson of the California Normal spent Decoration Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carson.

Blaine Duvall left this week for Buffalo, N. Y., where he is spending several days with his wife who has been visiting her parents for some time. Mrs. Duvall will probably accompany him home.

Misses Ruth Hennen and **Helen Nelson** have returned from visiting at the home of Curtis Carson of Lock View.

Sheriff and Mrs. John C. Murphy of Washington were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Frank Murphy of Pike Run.

Memory Studies.

A small boy went into a South Boston drug store, wrinkled his face, rubbed his head and rubbed his left foot up and down his right leg in an effort to remember something that had escaped him.

"Say," he began, "will you tell me the name of the place where we Americans have so many soldiers?"

"Fort Sheridan?"

"Oh, no. It's farther away than that."

"The Philippines?"

"That ain't just it, but it's somewhere around there."

"Perhaps you mean Manila?"

"Manila? That's right! I knew I would get it after awhile. I want a bottle of manila extract for flavoring. They're going to have ice cream."—Boston Record.

Cutting Humor.

With cap and bells jangling, he burst into the king's presence.

"Have you heard my last joke, your majesty?" he cried.

"I have," was the reply as the royal ax descended on the neck of the court jester.—Life.

Realism.

The Author—Well, how did you like my play? The Critic—Oh, it was very nice! The Author—Didn't you think the church scene realistic? The Critic—Intensely so. Why, a great many of us actually went to sleep while it was on.—Cleveland Leader.

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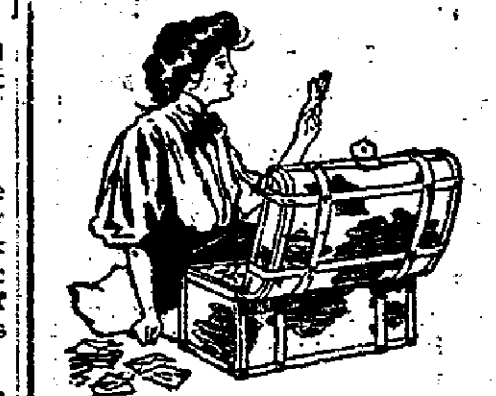
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Primaries June 5, 1909



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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bailey and daughter, Helen left for Pittsburgh today where they will make their future home.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins of Fallowfield avenue, June 2, a girl.

Harry Klein was transacting business and visiting friends and relatives in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. G. Weltner and daughter Margaret of Uniontown spent the day in Charleroi, the guests of C. W. Weltner.

Miss Mae Hall of Verona is in Charleroi to visit her brother D. N. Hall of Prospect avenue.

C. S. McKean was in California last evening.

Bishop Canevin's Anniversary.

Bishop Canevin will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of his ordination into the priesthood tomorrow. The clergy and laity throughout the diocese will send congratulations. He is the first native born American to occupy the episcopacy of this diocese. He was ordained into the priesthood June 4, 1879, and succeeded Bishop Phelan as bishop in 1904.

A Safe Thing to Do.

When purchasing the material for a blouse or dress it is as well to get half a yard or so more. In view of alteration contingencies. If the dressmaker can be prevailed upon to return any pieces of waste the extra half yard might not be needed; also should the wearer be the maker of the blouse or bodice in question. But, of course, much depends on the style and the quantity purchased, as in many cases the pieces left over are not enough to do much in the way of renovation.

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WANTED—A young lady who understands dressmaking. Good wages to right party. Call at The Bazaar, 431 McKean avenue. 248tf

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WANTED—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Address Mail 248t3p

WANTED—To buy a folding bed in good order, send particulars or call for No. 155 Mail office.

WANTED—Ladies to give away our \$2 Heatherbloom petticoats free. Good salary to right party. Inquire at once Peoples Credit Store 536 Fallowfield avenue. 246tf

WANTED—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Address 146 Mail. 249tp

WANTED—Young man to act as waiter in restaurant. Apply 158 Mail. 249t2p

WANTED—Position by Slavish girl to do general housework. Apply 413 Fallowfield avenue. 250t3p

WANTED—Good girl for housework, 501 1-2 Fifth street. 250t3p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Horse, Buggy and Harness. M. Plasman, Lock No. 2492tp

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Trimmed Hats—Unequaled for the price we offer them. If we haven't what you want we will make it.

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They are in a class by themselves away ahead of all others, and come in all styles and all leathers and all priced at \$4.00.

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If you are willing to be shown come in and see our line. You'll waste no time and argument will be unnecessary because you will be convinced at once that Our Clothes possess style and quality and fit that no tailor in town can give at double the price.

Newest Spring and Summer models for correct dressers.

Special bargains from \$10 to \$15

SUMMER NECESSITIES

for the hot weather, which the Weather Man will have on his bill for some time to come, we've lots of cooling things in Toggery and "Fixins."

Cool Furnishings are as necessary for comfort as cool clothes.

Soft shirts as cool as can be made, handsome, new fabrics, 35c, 50c, \$1 to \$1.50.

Cool underwear in several varieties, 25c, 50c to \$1.00.

Handsome, cool Hosiery, 10c up.

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Straw hats, as comfortable as can be—in styles and shapes to fit the face as well as the head, many choice braids, 50c up to \$2.00.

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SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE TO DEPEND ON RESULT OF TEST

Conference of Operators and Mine Worker's Officials Last Night.

QUESTION AS TO EXPLOSIVE

Whether Black Powder or Car-bonite is Yet to be Decided.

Within the next few days a thorough test will be made in the mines of the Charleroi Coal Works of black powder and carbonite, to determine which is the best and safest to use, and the result will end in the settlement of the strike now on. This was determined at a meeting of Jesse K. Johnston, the superintendent of the mines, and the National Vice President of the United Mine Workers, Mr. McCullough, with other National officials and local mining men who were in Charleroi last night. It was expected that the miners who have been on strike for about three weeks will return to work not later than next morning, as the controversy has been settled over the use of other explosives.

It was made known by the mine workers' officials, it is said, if the test shows that carbonite is better than the black powder, the miners would prefer to work on carbonite, on account of the fact, it is stated, that they are not to abide by the test which is to be made by their own men in the presence of some of the operators. The National officials are to remain until after the test is made, it is said, and will likely assist in the same.

The present strike at the Charleroi Works has not assumed any serious proportions, and from the present prospects will not. The trouble is the same that is annoying miners in many sections, and doubtless the settlement of the contentions will have an important bearing on the use of the black powder in other mines. The controversy started by the mine inspector forbidding the use of black powder. The miners, however, contend that the use of other explosives is more expensive and decreases their earnings by shattering the coal more, thereby causing more slack for which they get no pay. If other explosives are used they insist on extra compensation, as the present scale is based on the use of black powder.

CATSBURG MINE CLOSES DOWN

Extensive Improvements will be Made, Work Beginning Today.

Workmen began this morning at the Catsburg mines, near Monongahela, to tear down the old trestle in preparation for a new one. It is planned to make general improvements about the mines. On account of this there has been a temporary suspension of all work at the mine ordered, and a number of men thrown out of employment. It is not thought that it will take any longer than until the first of August to get the improvements finished up.

Information Made Against Alleged Thief

Chickens Said to Have Been Found in His Place Belonging to Foreigner.

Information was made by Joe Williams, a local miner, that he had found a box of chickens in the place of a foreigner, against Robert Bevan, colored, on a charge of larceny of some chickens. According to the prosecutor's tale Bevan last night took three fowls from the former's coop, and kept them in his house until this morning, when upon a complaint of the owner, Chief of Police Albright located them.

GOOD BYE OF PROF. WRIGHT

Extends Thanks for Assistance That Was Given Him in Work.

A WORD FOR SUCCESS

To the Public: This is my last day in Charleroi, and before leaving I wish to say to its citizens that the few years I have been with you have brought to me a rich and valuable experience, a broader and better conception of life. This is an educational feature that could not be purchased with a price in any of our institutions of learning. I am a "bigger" man for having lived in Charleroi during the last four years.

For this I wish to express my thanks to the men who have served on the board of directors for the part they have had in making such an experience possible; to the teachers for their hearty co-operation in the work of the schools and to them I wish better days; to the press of the city for their active influence in the support of my every effort to uplift the school sentiment. And I must not forget the boys and girls who have done so much to win my views of life. To them I wish to express my thanks for the willingness with which they have always obeyed my requests and the earnestness with which they entered into the work that I had outlined for them. May their interest in education increase as the years pass away, and when life's work is ended may they feel that it has been well done.

And now to all I say a last good bye, with the kindest feeling and best wishes for the future success of your schools.

W. D. WRIGHT.

DOUBLE HEADER TOMORROW

No Game Today on Account of Wet Grounds but Uniontown Will Play Here Twice Friday.

Owing to wet grounds today there will be no game between Uniontown and Charleroi. Tomorrow, however, there will be a double header on the local grounds, the first game to begin at 2 o'clock. The pitchers are as yet unannounced.

COMMISSIONER HILL AND ENGINEER GEO. S. CHANEY VIEW BRIDGE SITE

Bids to be Advertised For in Short time for Erection of Structure Over Maple Creek.

County Commissioner Thomas Hill, with Engineer George S. Chaney were in Charleroi today and inspected the site of the proposed bridge to be built over Maple Creek connecting the Lincoln avenue and the borough of Twilight. Bids will be advertised in a short time.

President Pierson, and C. Schmieler of council, with Solicitor McCloskey of the borough and representatives of the boroughs of Speers and Twilight, were with the party. The Charleroi council will build an approach in length about 50 feet to the site of the bridge, which will be at the highest point about 10 feet from the ground. It will slope down from Lincoln avenue to a point in Twilight.

COKERS WIN GAME FROM THE CHERUBS

Ninth Inning Rally Responsible for Connellsville's Victory.

GRIFFITHS VERSUS YOEDT

P. & W. Va. League.

Yesterday's Results.

Uniontown	Connellsville	Clarksburg	Grafton	Charleroi
1	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0

Standing of the Clubs.

Uniontown	Connellsville	Clarksburg	Grafton	Charleroi
19	7	781	11	522
12	11	522	12	74
12	15	444	11	423
11	15	423	10	417

Today's Schedule.

Uniontown at Charleroi.
Clarksburg at Connellsville.
Fairmont at Grafton.

After the Cherubs had evened up the score yesterday with the Cokers in the eighth inning, the Mud Islanders turned around and in the ninth batted in a score and victory. This was after an intermission of 25 minutes on account of rain.

Players	R	H	P	A	E
Nally, r.	1	2	1	0	0
Elliott, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Kneely, m.	0	2	3	0	0
Conway, c.	1	2	2	0	0
Harrell, l.	0	2	2	5	0
Smith, l.	0	0	12	0	1
Kennedy, s.	0	1	1	3	0
Urban, s.	1	0	2	4	1
Griffith, p.	1	0	6	0	0
Totals	2	9	25	20	2

Players	R	H	P	A	E
Morgan, l.	1	4	0	0	0
Gilligan, 2.	0	0	4	3	0
J. Francis, s.	0	2	0	2	0
Hagan, 3.	0	1	2	0	0
Calhoun, r.	0	0	1	1	1
C. Francis, m.	0	0	1	1	0
Tiffany, l.	0	0	11	1	0
Friley, c.	2	2	5	4	0
Yoedt, p.	0	2	0	1	0
Totals	3	11	27	15	1

Connellsville. 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1-2
Charleroi. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-0
Two base hit—Morgan. Sacrifice hits—Gilligan, Hagan, Smith.
Double plays—Kennedy, Harrell to Smith; Griffith, Conway to Smith.
Struck out—By Yoedt 4, by Griffith 1.
Base on balls—Off Yoedt 1, off Griffith 1. Umpire—Weddle.

Fancy new potatoes 30c cents per peck, 2 dozen lemons for 25 cents. Matchless Best Flour per sack \$1.58 at the Co-operative Store.

CAREFUL SURVEY INDICATES MOFFITT WILL BE A WINNER

Voluntary Non-Suit In Vesta Damage Case

Attorney for Prosecutor Says His Client Does Not Watch Affairs.

A voluntary non-suit was taken at the Vesta Coal company. The reason given by the man's attorney was that his client did not pay any attention to the suit.

Jussilena sought to recover \$15,000 damages from the defendant company for injuries received in a gas explosion in Vesta No. 4 at Coal Centre on February 21, 1908.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF IMPORTANCE

Beautiful June Wedding at Speers of Well Known Couple.

ALTAR GUILD'S AFFAIR

Irwin-Beazell.

At 12 o'clock yesterday at the home of the bride's parents in Speers, occurred the wedding of Miss Sue Beazell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beazell, and Marion Irwin of Elizabeth, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. F. Switzer of Speers. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives and friends being present. The bride was attended by Miss Anna Irwin, sister of the groom, and the best man was Isaac Beazell, a brother of the bride. The wedding march was played by Miss Harriet Irwin.

Soon after the marriage the couple left on a wedding trip to the East. They will return to Elizabeth where they will be at home to their friends after August 1. Both are well known and popular. Mrs. Irwin has a wide acquaintance, not only in Speers, but also in Charleroi, and other valley towns. Mr. Irwin is a young man of sterling qualities and a favorite among his many friends.

Well Entertained.

The social given last evening by the young ladies' Altar Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church proved a perfect success. A goodly number of people were in attendance. Delicious refreshments were served and the games arranged were enjoyed by old and young alike. Everybody had a good time.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SERVICE

Tonight Rev. Elis B. Burgess of Connellsville, Pa., statistical secretary of the General Synod of the United States will speak to the young people of the Lutheran church. Subject, "Enthusiasm." Rev. Burgess is a very interesting and entertaining speaker. The Christian Endeavor Societies and the Epworth League are all asked to come and participate in this service.

After the service the Luther League will hold a social in the Sunday school rooms for the benefit of the league. Ice cream and cake will be served. All are cordially invited to attend.

Candidates For Recorder of Deeds Now Calmly Awaiting Results.

RIVER DISTRICT CLEAR

Three Opponents of Local Man

Bunched Gives Him Advantage.

With the campaign virtually closed the Republican candidates for recorder are more or less calmly awaiting the verdict of the voters at the polls Saturday. Notwithstanding some vigorous work on the part of the candidates a light vote compared with that of the last primary is expected. Various estimates are made as to the probable vote, and it seems to be the consensus of opinion on the part of the politicians that the candidate who polls 3,000 votes will likely land the plum for the nomination of recorder. While the vote in the towns may be somewhere the normal figure, that of the rural districts is expected to fall off greatly.

While each of the four candidates in the field expresses confidence in his chances for winning the nomination, a careful survey indicates that John H. Moffitt, the Charleroi candidate, is decidedly in the lead if pre-election indications go for anything. With his three opponents bunched in Washington, who will divide the vote in the largest center of population, Moffitt has a clear field in the river district, where he is best known and has the largest following of friends. This, with his wide acquaintance over the county, his political experience, and his capacity as a campaigner and organizer, gives him an advantage that in a fair fight would be recognized everywhere.

All efforts to break into Moffitt's line-up in the river district have met with signal failure. The combination which a bunch of county seat politicians is said to have formulated for the purpose of defeating Moffitt did not materialize, and it is said that the effort has been abandoned as hopeless. During the past week a number of county seat politicians have visited the river district for the purpose of trying to "break in" for their respective candidates. One of these is a prominent attorney, who has always been an active factor in politics.

"Nothing to it," he sententiously remarked. "Everything is for Moffitt, particularly the river district, where he has a solid front." Politics, however, is a very uncertain quantity, and no one can really be sure of the nomination until the ballots are counted. Moffitt, however, is conceded to be a winner by even those who set about at the start to encompass his defeat.

"The Candy Shop" a Dream.

The very latest show success in New York is at the Knickerbocker Theatre. It is called "The Candy Shop," and the music is by the famous composer, John L. Golden. The "Candy Shop" music is the cleverest heard in New York this season. The New York Sunday World has arranged with Jerome H. Remick and Co., music publishers for the song hit of the piece. It is entitled "Meet Me Down on the Corner," and everybody in New York is whistling it. Words and music complete with next Sunday's World.

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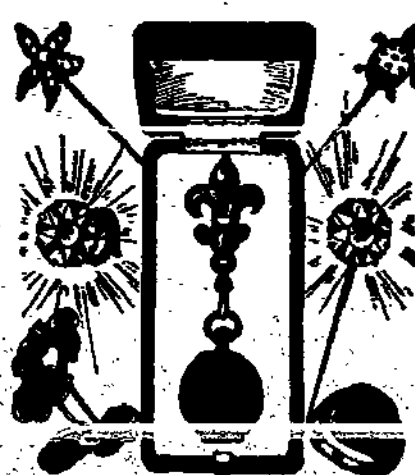
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Funeral of Mrs. Lundy.

The funeral of Mrs. Patrick Lundy of Vesta, was held this morning at St. Jerome's Catholic church at 9:30 o'clock, Rev. W. D. Fries officiating. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery, Monongahela.

The regular monthly meeting of the Merchant's Association will be held tonight at the Merchants' Association rooms in the Park and Clark buildings. After the transaction of the routine business which will be hurried through, the members will make a visit to the Macbeth-Evans and the Imperial Glass plants. Upon the return to the rooms a social session will be held. A large attendance is desired.



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June 3 In American History.

1790—Thomas Hutchinson, noted as a royalist governor of Massachusetts, died in London; born in Boston 1711.
1805—Jefferson Davis, statesman, president of the Southern Confederacy, born in Christian (now Todd) county, Ky.; died 1889.
1861—Stephen Arnold Douglas, statesman, political rival of Abraham Lincoln before the civil war, died; born 1813.
1907—General Thomas Ruger, U. S. A., retired, distinguished leader in the civil war, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:22, rises 4:26; moon rises 7:10 p. m.; 8:16 p. m., full moon in constellation Scorpio; total eclipse of the moon, visible to South America and Africa and in part of North America, Europe and Asia; in New York moon rises eclipsed; totality begins 7:53 p. m. and ends 8:59 p. m.; moon leaves penumbra 11:21 p. m.; Chicago, 1 hour earlier; Denver, 2 hours; San Francisco, 3 hours; 9:30 p. m., Jupiter's outer satellite No. 2 close on planet's west; the rest near on east; 11:00 a. m., moon at greatest libration east; sun's declination 22 degrees 17 1/2 minutes.

"The Rule of the People."

Quoting from an editorial in the Mail last week, which stated that the fight for the Republican nomination for recorder had developed into a preliminary skirmish for political control next year, the Washington Observer takes occasion to malign both the Mail and the people of the river district for the manner in which the latter voted at the primary election last year. The Mail is characterized as a loyal liquor organ, and the voters here as "phantoms" who were corrupted by the unparalleled use of liquor and money.

There is no occasion for the Mail to refute these charges. The thousands of Christian voters in the river district and elsewhere in the county who supported John K. Teher for Congress at the primary election last spring know whether or not their action was influenced by the use of "booze and booze," as the Observer has repeatedly charged, in addition to maligning the churches of Charleroi a year ago in a write-up on the liquor traffic of the Monongahela valley. These charges, as every one knows, are as unjust as they are untrue.

The further inconsistency and incincerity of the Observer's attitude is shown in its alleged stand for local option. While the candidates it supported for Assembly were defeated for the nomination, two of the three nominated and elected voted for the only local option bill that came up in the Legislature, but still the Observer isn't satisfied. Instead of claiming a victory and rejoicing over the results, it continues to mourn past results and to put the Assemblymen it doesn't control in the "booze" class. The Observer's own candidates couldn't have done any more than have voted for the Fair bill.

Granting, for the sake of argument, that the Observer's charge that the Mail is a "loyal liquor organ" is true, it is only following the example

of its older contemporary, the Observer, which, until a year ago unequivocally stood for the political interests that always had the support of and was saved from two defeats by the liquor interests. However, it is not the Mail's intention to enter into a tirade of recriminations. If those engaged in the manufacture and sale of liquor see fit to vote for a good man for office, so much the better. The people instead of the politicians now rule.

"Know Thyself."

The Scriptural injunction, "Know thyself," is being put into action by the Charleroi Merchants' Association. At their regular monthly meeting tonight the officers have arranged for the members to visit the Macbeth-Evans Chimney factory and the Imperial Bottle factory. After that the Association will have a social session.

This is one of the most important actions the local Association has taken, if it is continued in all directions. A complete and exhaustive knowledge of the industrial and business concerns of the town is the first requisite of a body of men who are seeking to promote the interests of the community. How many people are there in town who can give off-hand any definite information concerning Charleroi's industries, what they manufacture, the number of employees, the average payroll, the trade relation of the industry with the rest of the world and their rank and standing? Not only is this true of the larger concern, but it is equally important with the smaller business places. For instance, how many business places are there in town? How many people do they employ, and what is their aggregate payroll? Are there many small manufacturing concerns in the town? If so how many, what are they, and are they capable of expansion, and do they need any assistance to enable them to enlarge their plants? There may be many opportunities for expanding interest in the town which would add greatly to the volume of labor employed and the augmentation of the wages fund.

There is also much coal mined tributary to Charleroi. How much, and how many men are employed who trade here? These are questions new business enterprises usually want to know, and it is worth money to any community to be able to answer them.

Electric Sparks

President Taft forgot to accept the invitation to take the trip to Monongahela. He was not invited to Charleroi, or he would have come up the valley.

June has started off well with the June weddings—the only thing besides the length of the days for which it is noted.

A contemporary in a nearby town has oft made the statement that the merchants of his town are the best sports, the best advertisers, and almost everything else in the world. He certainly has forgotten to take Charleroi into account.

If Mr. Taft enjoys a baseball game better than speech-making, he is like many other college men who are younger than he is.

Now that they've proved that a real estate agent gets his commission if he sells a place, and the owner sells it later, a fellow can't even cheat the said agent out of his money.

My, but Donora's getting popular! Here's another street car company that wants to lay a line to that place. Needless to say the company will not have much trouble in getting a franchise if it applies for one.

A plumber will start out on a job and assess the people for all the time he spends at the shop getting things ready, then for the time it takes to get to the place of work and for the time it takes to get back to his shop and lay things away again, then as it seems to the poor suffering public, adds half an hour to be sure he does not lose anything—and the people pay the bill without a protest. What if a day-laborer would do the same he would be driven out of town. Funny, isn't it?

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WOMAN'S MEETING

LAST EVENING

Address by Mrs. Beegle on "Woman's Place In The Church."

Last night at the Christ Lutheran Church, Mrs. Helen C. Beegle of Springfield, Ohio, secretary of The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Lutheran church of America, was the speaker. The subject was, "Woman's Place in the Church." It was well received, and the meeting was well attended. Mrs. Beegle is a National secretary of the woman's work in this country, and it was a delight to hear her speak on the foreign missionary work which the society is doing in India especially.

The Brigands.

The word "brigand" is derived from a French word meaning a robber. English and foreign, anciently called the "brigandine." This consisted of an apron of leather plated over, scale fashion, with thin pieces of steel. From the irregularities of the light armed men who wore these defenses the name of brigand became in course of time infamous.

Get Out of Doors.

Ardeau's classic experiment points us in the right direction. After inoculating a number of rabbits with tuberculosis, he confined a number of them indoors and turned the others outdoors. The latter all recovered, while the former all died. This experiment shows that a rabbit living upon its natural food and under a natural environment is proof against tuberculosis. There is abundant reason to believe this equally true of man. In other words, tuberculosis is not a necessary evil of human life, but is a natural consequence of erroneous habits and departure from natural conditions. Man is naturally an outdoor animal. A mole lives a healthy life in a burrow. A man must live in the fresh air and the sunshine.—Medical Record.

Pioneer Days in Missouri.

In 1851 there was in Huntsville a man who pulled teeth for 25 cents and a photographer who made daguerrotypes at \$1.50 each. The first was called "doctor" and the second "professor." They moved in the highest circles, as being the representatives of the sciences and arts. With deer, birds and all manner of game in the woods and the fish in the streams so cheap that the poorest farmers were stocked with it the grocers did a big business in mackerel, herring and sardines. The latter were real dainties, because the better food was so plentiful the pioneers got tired of it.—Macon Republican.

FOR RECORDER



JOHN H. MOFFITT
CHARLEROI, PA.

IN ANNOUNCING my candidacy for re-nomination of County Recorder, I do so by stating that I have never been favored, either with an elective or an appointed position in this county, and I have never given support, nor encouragement in any campaign to any other than candidates of the Republican Party, from whose hosts I am now seeking the honorable position above named. I have long been a resident of the Monongahela Valley, and for more than one hundred and twenty years my ancestors have been taxpayers and residents of that section of the county. While no new issues or questions are likely to be advanced in the coming campaign other than fitness and capability of the applicants, I wish to say that I stand as I have always done, for the broad principles of Republicanism and will always be ready to champion every policy of reform involving a higher standard of justice. On one or two occasions I have permitted my name to be withdrawn from political contests for the sake of the party harmony, but after being active in aiding others for almost a score of years in reaching the goal of their ambitions, I am now presenting myself for the first time as a candidate for the office of County Recorder, for which primaries will be held June 5th, 1909.

To the Republican Voters of Washington County

I am asking for Republican votes next Saturday for the nomination for recorder of Deeds.

Our leaders have promised a "free open primaries" and an honest vote.

All I Ask Is A Fair Chance And A Square Deal.

I have carried my claims direct to the voters. They will decide and I ask my friends and every fair minded voter to give all the candidates the same chance.

There is no political issue at stake in this fight—there ought not to be.

Every Republican who aspires to this office has a right to ask for the votes of his fellow citizens.

As one of the young Republicans of this county, I entered the contest on this principle and this implied guarantee.

I want to say now that I am in the fight honorably to win, honorably.

I seek to secure the office of Recorder of Deeds not for political advantage, but to make an honest living.



J. C. Sutherland

If nominated and elected I will conduct the office in the interest of the people.

I will give the people a business administration. To the people I appeal.

I believe in the principle of a "square deal" of honest, decent politics. I have conducted a clean and honorable campaign, I have fought my own fight and used all reputable and honorable means to advance my own cause. I have not attacked or slandered any of my opponents for my own advantage. I have waged a fair fight. I have endeavored to come into close personal contact with as many voters as possible—some I have not been able to meet—but through this means I again earnestly solicit the votes of all the Republicans of Washington county.

I WANT YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE.

Primaries next Saturday, June 5, 2 to 8 p. m. Go to the polls and vote your honest convictions—make your vote count as a free citizen.

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In point of qualifications no other candidate is so well equipped. Not another man in Washington county so well understands how to conduct the business of the office and there is no more observing candidate. While at no time in his career has Mr. Young been identified with factional politics, he has at all times since attaining his majority been a strict adherent to the principles of the party of his choice.

On his record as deputy recorder, established by many years of faithful service and on his record for party regularity Mr. Young solicits the support of Washington county Republicans.

Lovers

George Lee spent a few days last week visiting his parents at Colliers, W. Va.

Curt Deems and William Winnet, near Garwood, were recent callers at Meadowslands.

Charles Hill of Charleroi spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of Jacob Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fox of Pittsburg spent Decoration Day at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox.

Wm. Hill and family of Monongahela, Perry Morris of the California Normal and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morris spent Sunday at the home of Isaac E. Morris.

Thomas West and sister, Lulu of Garwood were recent guests of their aunt, Mrs. Joe Pitzer.

Miss Elsie Richards of the Ridge spent the 30th at Uniontown.

Lester Winnett of Vanceville was a recent guest at the home of his uncle, Wm. Winnett near Garwood.

Mrs. David Duvall and children of Charleroi are spending a few days this week at the home of her father,

Mrs. Shirley Mancha of Joustown spent a couple of days last week visiting friends at Monongahela.

Edna Hawkins and Blanche Winnett, near Garwood, who have been attending school at Centerville, have returned to their homes.

Samuel Hopewell and family spent Sunday and Monday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Laurie Gossitt of Fredericktown.

Miss Stella Carson of the California Normal spent Decoration Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carson.

Blaine Duvall left this week for Buffalo, N. Y., where he is spending several days with his wife who has been visiting her parents for some time. Mrs. Duvall will probably accompany him home.

Misses Ruth Hammen and Helen Nelson have returned from visiting at the home of Curtis Carson of Lock View.

Sheriff and Mrs. John C. Murphy of Washington were recent guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Frank Murphy of Pike Run.

Memory Studies

A small boy went into a South Boston drug store, winked his eye, rubbed his head and rubbed his left foot up and down his right leg in an effort to remember something that had escaped him.

"Say," he began, "will you tell me the name of the place where we Americans have so many soldiers?"

"Fort Sheridan?"

"Oh, no. It's farther away than that."

"The Philippines?"

"That ain't just it, but it's somewhere around there."

"Perhaps you mean Manila?"

"Manila! That's right! I knew I would get it after awhile. I want a bottle of manila extract for favors."

"They're going to have ice cream!"—Boston Record.

Cutting Humor

With cap and bells jangling, he burst into the king's presence.

"Have you found my last job, your majesty?" he cried.

"I have," was the reply as the royal ax descended on the neck of the court jester.—Life.

Realism

The Author—Well, how did you like my play? The Critic—Oh, it was very nice! The Author—Didn't you think the church scene realistic? The Critic—Intensely so. Why, a great many of us actually went to sleep while it was on.—Cleveland Leader.



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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bailey and daughter, Helen, left for Pittsburgh today where they will make their future home.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins of Fallowfield avenue, June 2, a girl.

Harry Klein was transacting business and visiting friends and relatives in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. G. Weltner and daughter Margaret of Uniontown spent the day in Charleroi, the guests of C. W. Weltner.

Miss Mae Hall of Verona is in Charleroi to visit her brother D. N. Hall of Prospect avenue.

C. S. McKean was in California last evening.

Bishop Canevin's Anniversary.

Bishop Canevin will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of his ordination into the priesthood tomorrow. The clergy and laity throughout the diocese will send congratulations. He is the first native born American to occupy the episcopacy of this diocese. He was ordained into the priesthood June 4, 1879, and succeeded Bishop Phelan as bishop in 1904.

A Safe Thing to Do.

When purchasing the material for a blouse or dress it is as well to get half a yard or so more. In view of alteration contingencies. If the dressmaker can be prevailed upon to return any pieces of waste the extra half yard might not be needed; also should the wearer be the maker of the blouse or bodice in question. But, of course, much depends on the style and the quantity purchased, as in many cases the pieces left over are not enough to do much in the way of renovation.

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WANTED—Young man to act as waiter in restaurant. Apply 158 Mail. 249t2p

WANTED—Position by Slavish girl to do general housework. Apply 413 Fallowfield avenue. 250t3p

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